Hylan Attacks

'Mind Business,' Attitude their own experiences."

Kings Prosecutor Is Told City Officials Can and Will Handle Own Affairs

Mayor Hylan dictated over the long distance telephone yesterday a reply to One Complainant Alleges the letter, forwarded to Saratoga, from John E. Ruston, District Attorney of Kings County, in which Mr. Ruston urged immediate seizure of all records in the Department of Markets, recomthe department and indicated a belief that failure to take prompt action in impounding the documents might result in tampering with them.

The Mayor questions the good faith of Mr. Ruston, referring to his demands as "suspicious" and charging him with having delayed the investigation planned by Commissioner of Accounts Hirshfield, and in general effect

Mayor Hylan's Reply The Mayor's answer to Mr. Ruston's

has been brought by my secretary to my attention while on a few days' va-Your sudden feverish anxiety subject for over two months and sud-

have been pottering around with this aubject for over two months and suddenly burst into print when you learn that I am to be away from the city for a day or two, although much of these two months you have been sojourning in New Hampshire and Long Island.

"You ask that records of the Department of Markets be taken possession of at once. The duly authorized officials of the city have possession of them and they are where they ought to be, in so far as they are required to be kept by law. You ask particularly with reference to counties other than the County of Kings. You may well confine your political activities on this subject to the County of Kings on this subject to the County of Kings and leave it to the officials of counties outside your jurisdiction to do their duty without suggestion from you.

"To be sure they are not, like you, engaged in a canvass for re-election and hence are not properly chargeable with prostituting the process of the grand jury to political purposes, and are not chargeable with permitting grand jury evidence to be leaked from the grand jury to political purposes, and are not chargeable with permitting grand jury evidence to be leaked from the grand jury to political purposes, and are not chargeable with permitting grand jury to political purposes, and are not chargeable with permitting grand jury to political purposes, and are not chargeable with permitting grand jury to most ocertain newspapers in violation of Sections 1782 and 1783 of the penal law. The evidence of this is at your hand and it may be the person or persons guilty are within your immediate reach. You need no aid on this other than the use of your own faculties.

Profiteers Adversely Affected

"I am firm in the belief that the heavy shower came un about 9 ordered."

Glogged sewers at Montague and Court streets, Brooklyn, flooded the sidewalks yesterday morning when a heavy shower came un about 9 ordered. The profiteers and province of the profiteers and profite and profite and profite and profite and profite and prof

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"I am firm in the belief that the grand jury of Kings County will not permit you to use them as an instrument for political propaganda in your interest or in the interest of food profiteers who are adversely affected by the existence of pushcart open air markets, selling foodstuffs at low prices in the poorer sections of the city, or in the interest of their traction sympathizers, newspaper and etherwise.

"You well know that the system in vogue is a makeshift system, temporarily in existence for the purpose of accomplishing their object in advance of their being put on a permanent basis. The delay in putting them on a permanent basis arises, as you well know, from the fact that the tax limit had to be observed last year in making up the budget and for that reason was resistative.

ing up the budget and for that reason new activities were excluded from it. "The fact that the Meyer committee, after twelve months sloughing around in the same material on which you have been busying yourself for the past two months, were unable to cannot be a support to the past two months.

in the same material on which you have been busying yourself for the past two months, were unable to establish any violation of law in the pushcart markets is of itself sufficient evidence that no such violation can be established that would withstand analysis by an impartial judge. Even the malevolent ingenuity of the Meyer committee could not devise even a technical or far-fetched violation of law in the premises upon which to hang a criminal charge long entugh to last over election.

Will Tolerate No Corruption

"You well know that no real corruption will be tolerated by me in this or any other department. You know that alteration of records would furnish an ensier basis for a prosecution than would any act of omission the records themselves in an unaltered state might tend to prove. No one in any of the departments will dare to do other than maintain the records required to be kept by law in their proper condition; reachable by subpoena, under proper subspices, especially since the Commissioner of Accounts under a direction given him months ago has been in contact with and had control over all these records in counties other than Kings. Your request is consequently unnecessary and months too late.

"You have used your two months meandering in the Market Department as a means of delaying investigation by the Commissioner of Accounts. Now, after waiting all this time for political purposes, you implore me, to use your two made by you. The best that could result would be what you have already given—a political investigation, 'through the Commissioner The implication involved in your language is correct, with respect to yourself—that a 'real investigation,' through the Commissioner of Accounts now after waiting all this time for political purposes, you implore me, to use your than a proper conditions and the part of the country was also on the part of the country of the part of the part of the country of the part of the country of

Obstructing Activities

"In good time these markets will be put on a personal basis. Such unwise methods as may have crept into the temporary organization will be rectified as a result of co-operation by the commissioner of accounts with the Market Department and the Law Department of the city. This will be hastened by your completing your investigation so that it cannot be falsely said any of these officials are obstructing your activities."

Commissioner Hirschfield's summons requiring W. L. Hundertmark, secretary of the New York Market Gardener's Association, to appear before him for examination, which the commissioner announced had been issued three days ago, was received by Mr. Hundertmark last night at his home in Passaic, N. J., following publication in The Tribune of a denial from Mr. Hundertmark that such a summons had been received by him. In connection with his denial he charged wholesale corruption in the administration of Gansevoort and Wallabout markets. The

hearing is set for Wednesday at 10 Hylan Attacks
Aim of Ruston's
Market Probe

Mayor, Replying to Request for Seizure of O'Malley
Books, Hints Feathering of His Political Nest

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"I am prepared to furnish Commissioner Hirshfield with fifteen sworn statements of farmers and market statements of farmers and wall-about markets." Said Hundertmark. "In addition we will supply him with the names of scores who are anxious to testify regarding graft in the city markets. My hope and that of my associates is that the investigation will be a real one, going to the root of the trouble. No mere surface scratching will serve. The trouble with the system is fundamental. This can be demonstrated only by examination of witnesses qualified to testify ac to corruption and maladministration out of their own experiences."

2 Charge Policeman Offered Tickets or **Summons to Court**

That Cycle Officer Fired Upon Him in His Zealous Sales Enthusiasm.

Patrolman John Farrell, of the City cessful salesman of tickets for the annual police games that the rest of the force has been wondering for weeks how he does it.

Some say it is the voice with the smile that has made every one who travels the Boston Post Road dig into his pocket when Farrell runs along tells the District Attorney to mind his side on his motorcycle, but two men Court to-morrow to allege that the voice suggesting a summors has a lot more to do with the big sales. The speed censor is threatened with "Your letter of August 24, 1922, in charges of oppression and felonious reference to pushcart peddlers' markets, assault for his alleged method of dis-

The first plaintiff will be Arthur Romano, of 2453 Cambrelling Avenue, the on this matter is very suspicious. You Bronx, who declared when Farrell took have been pottering around with this him into court yesterday for driving

sidewalks yesterday morning when a

Weather Report

Eastern Standard Time Sun rises., 5:17 a.m. Sun sets., 4:38 p. m. Moon rises. 10:52 a.m. Moon sets. 9:48 p. m.

ATTENTION SALE OF SCHOOL SUPPLIES Thursday and Friday August 31 and September 1

Unusual Price Savings

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August Sale Depts. Include:

Muslins Sheets and Pillow Cases

Rugs

Last Four Days of August Sales Last Four Stock-Taking Days

Thursday night we take account of stock, when all surplus must be cleared RADICAL PRICE CUTS throughout to reduce quantities and make stocktaking an easy task Be Sure to Share in These Money Savings, MONDAY AND TUESDAY

August Sales-Last Days

Morning Specials

Clearances

Here and There

Novelty Necklaces-all colors,

Women's Colored Silk Umbrel-

las—bakelite and leather handles—were \$5.97....4.74

Long Milanese Silk Gloves-

a few black pongee-not all sizes in each color-

Hearn's "Goodwear" Poplins—36-inch—were .60........50

Nainsooks—10-yard piece—36 inches wide.............3.50

32-inch Madras-figured and

were \$1.50 and \$2.00-

were \$3.97.....

Women's Extra Size Lustree

Sateen Petticoats straight-line models—deep hem —grey—were \$2.74...1.88

Extra Size Georgette and Crepe de Chine Blouses—the back and overblouse models—Mo-hawk, navy, black and tan— sizes 46 to 54—

were \$13.24.....9.97

Extra Size White Voile Blouses

Girls' Summer Frocks-floral

Men's Long Cotton Coats-for

were \$2.25 to \$4.25....1.75

Men's Long Mohair Coats-black and tan-

were \$7.95......3.75

Office Coats, White Duck

Infants' Half Wool Shirts-

6 months-were \$1.10 ... \$4

Infants' Wool Flannel Band-Hearn's "Little Wonder"-three in sanitary packages-were \$1.50......1.14

Nurses' Delight Hemmed

20x40—were \$2.15....1.94 22x44—were \$2.30....2.04

Pink Brocade Corsets - low

bust, long hip, elastic inserts, in black—sizes 21 to 30—

were \$5.00..........3.14

Elastic Top Corsets — light weight coutil—long hip—pink

Fancy Broche Corsets-low and

medium bust-some with in-serts in back-a few laced

fronts—sizes 22 to 27—few larger—were \$12.00....7.24

-sizes 19 to 26-

were \$2.50.....

double breasted-sizes to

Trousers, etc., Greatly Reduced.

-sizes 46 to 54-

ming and sash belts-

-lace and embroidery trimmed



Save You Money on

Pillow Cases, Sheets, Muslins, Etc.

Rising cotton prices increase the values offered in

PILLOW CASES Hemmed. Hemstitched. .31 .22 .35 .26 45x36..: .34 .23 .38 .27 SHEETS Hemmed. Hemstitched.

.97 .77 \$1.07 .87 \$1.24 89 \$1.22 .98 \$1.24 .89 \$1.22 .98 \$1.24 .97 \$1.34 1.07 \$1.24 .97 \$1.34 1.07 \$1.37 1.04 \$1.47 1.14 \$1.47 1.17 \$1.47 1.27 \$1.37 1.94 \$1.47 1.14 \$1.49 1.17 \$1.59 1.27 \$1.56 1.24 \$1.56 1.17 \$1.69 1.27 \$1.69 1.32 No Mail or Phone Orders. Sizes before hemming.

HILL PILLOW CASES Hemmed. Hemstitched Reg. Sale. Reg. Sale .34 .25 .39 .29 .39 .27 .44 .31 .42 .29 .49 .33 Muslins, Sheeting, Etc. Bleached Muslins-36-inchworth .16...... Sale .10 ½
Limit 30 yards.

Heavy Unbleached Muslins—
worth .12 ½ Sale 8½
Limit 30 yards.

40-Inch Unbleached Muslins—
worth .17 worth .17......Sale .12 Limit 30 yards. 75-Inch Brown Sheetings—
heavy quality—
worth .54......Sale .41
No Mail or Phone Orders.
Extra Fine Bleached Muslins— 36-inch-soft finish for under worth .21...

The unusual demand for Muslins, Sheets and Pillow Cases during this August Sale has depleted the assortments to some extent, so do not wait till the end of the sale to shop for these needs. Come in as early as you can. Railroad and textile strikes have impeded the delivery of merchandise from the mills.

August Sales Save You Money on

Comfortables and Pillows

Last four days for these extraordinary offerings Floral Silkoline-White Cotton

filled-full sizereg. \$2.93... Sale 2.22

Floral Comfortables — plain sateen borders, filled 100% pure lamb's wool—full size reg. \$5.97......4.45 Winter Weight Comfortables-

floral silkoline—full size—white cotton filled were \$4.733.57 Floral Sateen Comfortablesfull size—winter weight—plain borders—white cotton filled—were \$6.12 4.58

Floral Sateen Comfortables— scroll stitched borders—cotton filled—full size reg. \$7.525.68

New Grey Down Feather Pil-20x28-reg. \$2.73. . Sale 2.07 22x28-reg. \$3.26. . Sale 2.47 24x30-reg. \$3.82. . Sale 2.88 26x30-reg. \$4.37. . Şale 3.30

New White Goose and Down Mixed Feather Pillows—woven tickings—various stripes— 20x28-reg. \$3.62..5ale 2.87 22x28-reg. \$4.03. . Sale 3.33 24x30-reg. \$4.42. . Sale 3.67 26x30-reg. \$4.92. . Sale 4.00

August Sales Save You Money on Towelings

Extra good values for last four days of August Sales.

Heavy Cotton Towelings-were .17ve Pure Linen Crash Towelings—were .28yd. .17 Heavy All Linen Crash Hearn's "Goodwear" Crash Towelingswere .43yd. .34 90-Inch Pure White Irish Linens—for sheets, pillow cases, art purposes, etc.— were \$3.472.42

> August Sales Save You Money on Flannels

32-Inch Unbleached

Canton Flannels-bleached or unbleached—30-inch— value .3220 Wool and wool mixed-white or colored-plain or silk em-broidered - novelty sports skirtings and shirtings—robe cloths—bleached or un-bleached domets and Cantons—table felts—table pads at Greatly Reduced Prices.

36 inch-good quality fabric for all home purposes.
WHITE GOODS-MAIN FLOOR. 33 ct. Underwear Batiste......yd. .21 21 ct. Outing Flannels.

For nightgowns, pajamas and children's wear.

WASH FABRICS—BASEMENT. \$1.77 Spanish Laces, Allovers and Flouncings..... Heavy quality-rich patterns. LACES-MAIN FLOOR. 24 inch. TOWELING-MAIN FLOOR. French, Oriental and novelty designs.
CRETONNES—BASEMENT. \$4.97 Figured Velour Over Draperies..... Festoon center valance—blue, rose and brown, UPHOLSTERIES—BASEMENT. \$25.00 Wool Tapestry Rugs.......19.88 9 x 12 ft.—small all-over designs. RUGS—FOURTH FLOOR. 58 ct. Bleached Turkish Bath Towels..... Hemmed-absorbent-colored jacquard borders, TOWELS-MAIN FLOOR. \$12.50 and \$14.50 Boys' Navy Blue Serge Suits. . All wool—fine or medium weight—side or inverted plait—alpaca lined—majority with two pair of fully lined trousers—8 to 15 years.

BOYS' CLOTHING—THIRD FLOOR. All-wool—cassimeres, worsteds and flannels—stripes, checks, mixtures and plain colors.

MEN'S CLOTHING—MAIN FLOOR. MEN'S CLOTHING-MAIN FLOOR. MEN'S WORK CLOTHES-BASEMENT. \$1.45 Men's Caps.

Of high-grade woolen—plain colors—well made—all sizes.

MEN'S HATS—MAIN FLOOR.

Of mercerized poplin—tan, white and grey and genuin—button down, collar attached—neck band styles.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS—MAIN FLOOR. \$2.19 and \$2.39 Men's Headlight Overalls. 1.79

Blue, blue striped or white—strong and durable—reg. sizes 36 to 42

—extra sizes 44 to 50—20c additional.

MEN'S WORK CLOTHES—BASEMENT.

Low neck-sleeveless-knee length. KNIT UNDERWEAR-MAIN FLOOR. Seconds of 35 and 39c qualities—low neck—sleeveless— or crochet top—regular and extra sizes. KNIT UNDERWEAR—MAIN FLOOR. \$1.28 Women's Extra Size Gowns..... Of fine muslin—lace trimmed—round or square neck—sizes 18, 19, 20.

EXTRA SIZE DEPT.—THIRD FLOOR.

August Sales Save You Money on HOUSEWARES

High grade merchandise at attention compelling prices have made the success of August sales in housewares.

10-Inch Cast Iron Spider to wall—with glass canister—were \$1.25.... .90 6-lb. "Betsy Ross" Electric Irons with detachable cord and plug—were \$3.97 3.37 White Enameled Bread Boxes — size 13 1/4 x9 1/2 x9 inches— The Perfect Gas Irons-double

or vegetables-1 %-qt. size-6-qt. size— were \$1.85

Long and short sleeves—plain or fancy stitch—white, red, green, buff, orchid, Harding, combinations—not all sizes.

SWEATERS—SECOND FLOOR. \$2.18 Women's Voile and Dimity Blouses......1.57 Tailored and lace trimmed. BLOUSES-SECOND FLOOR. -triple coated enamel ware not affected by acids in fruits Shadow proof—straight line—scalloped bottom—all lengths. PETTICOATS—SECOND FLOOR. Vollrath Lipped Sauce Pans-Light percale—belted or waist model—braid finish.

APRONS—SECOND FLOOR. White and cordovan—sizes 6 to 91/2.
HOSIERY—MAIN FLOOR. 97 ct. Little Tots' Rompers.

Gingham, chambray and Peggy cloth—sizes to 6 years.

INFANTS' DEPT.—SECOND FLOOR. \$1.47 Tots' Pantie Dresses. 1.00
Gingham and chambray—neatly trimmed—sizes to 6 years. INFANTS' DEPT.—SECOND FLOOR.
\$1.97 Men's and Women's Umbrellas. 1,55 Novelty handles.

Novelty handles.

UMBRELLAS—MAIN FLOOR.

White cotton
well stitched.

Novelty handles.

2.97

White cotton
well stitched.

To prevent dealers buying, On Sale Monday and Tuesday Until 1 P.M. Fancy Cotton Laces—insertion of Duchess, filet cluny and Val.—2½ to 5 inches wide—were .19 to .39 yard......15

Imported Plaid Ginghams -Imported Dress Voiles-many desirable patterns and colors—were .67...... .20 Pound Package Stationery
21c—were .28 and .32—
72 to 96 sheets in package
—colored or white.
Envelopes to match—25 in package— were .10 and .12...... .7 ½ Boys' Baseball Suits-professional cut—4 pieces—not in all sizes—were \$2.50...1.58 Boys' Baseball Bats-Baseballs-were .50..... .34 Men's Bathing Suits-all wool were \$2.95 and \$3.75..2.25 All Sporting Goods, including Fishing Tackle, great-ly reduced.

79 ct. Men's Suspenders.

Fine mercerized webbing—finished with genuine calf ends and rustproof buckles.

MEN'S FURNISHINGS—MAIN FLOOR. 57 ct. Boys' Union Suits-Children's Waist Union Suits ea. .41

COMFORTABLES-BASEMENT.

For Early Fall 4.87

Junior Boys'

Suits

Suits of heather jersey in just the right weight for early fall wear. Middy and Balkan styles, trimmed with braid in one or two-tone combinations. Junior Boys' Oliver Twist Suits
—washable tops in blue, brown

or grey, with corduroy

trousers to matchsizes 21/2 to 8 years...2.74 Clearance of Junior Boys' Washable Suits—Middy, Bal-kan, Oliver Twist and beach styles-variety of solid and combination colors-sizes 3 to 7 years-were \$1.95....1.38 Cook Books

The preserving season is at hand and there are numerous delicacies that can be made from fresh fruits and vege tables, to last all winter. The following cook hooks give recipes for these things, and for all kinds of other plain and fancy cookery as well.

White House Cook Book .. 1.14 The Candy Cook Book—Alice Bradley1.44 Boston Cooking-School Cook Book—with new chapter on cold packing, drying fruits and vegetables vegetables, etc. Fanny Merritt Farmer. 2.08

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Women's Extra Size Silk Dresses 20.75

Were \$25.73 and \$26.73

New models in Canton crepe, trimmed with faggotting, and with extra pleats. Navy and black Sizes 421/2 to 521/2.

EXTRA SIZE DEPT .- THIRD FLOOR.

Misses' Suits of Wool Novelty Cloths Special 21.50

Practical youthful models with 32-inch straightline coat that can be worn with or without the string belt, and with novelty patch pockets, notch collar and double box pleated back. Lined with crepe de chine. Sizes 14 to 18 years.

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